



City Information

GREENBELT CITY COUNCIL- REGULAR MEETING

Municipal Building, Monday, May 9, 2016 – 8:00 p.m.

ORGANIZATION

- Call to Order
- Roll Call
- Meditation and Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag
- Consent Agenda – Approval of Staff Recommendations (Items on the Consent Agenda [marked by *] will be approved as recommended by staff, subject to removal from the Consent Agenda by Council.)
- Approval of Agenda and Additions

COMMUNICATIONS

- Presentations- Kids to Parks Day Proclamation
- Petitions and Requests
- (Petitions received at the meeting will not be acted upon by the City Council at this meeting unless Council waives its Standing Rules.)
- Minutes of Council Meetings
- Administrative Reports
- *Committee Reports

LEGISLATION

A Resolution to Negotiate the Purchase of HVAC Improvements at the Greenbelt Community Center from Shapiro and Duncan Inc. at an Estimated Cost of \$355,264

- 2nd Reading

OTHER BUSINESS

- Approval of Permit of Greenbelt Lake Forebay Dredging Projects (Park and Recreation Advisory Board Report #2016-2 and Greenbelt Advisory Committee on Environmental Sustainability Report #2016-1)
- Approval of Peppo Vegetation Management Work
- Council Reports
- * Reappointment to Advisory Group

MEETINGS

NOTE: This is a preliminary agenda, subject to change. Regular Council meetings are open to the public, and all interested citizens are invited to attend. If special accommodations are required for any disabled person, please call 301-474-8000 no later than 10am on the meeting day. Deaf individuals are advised to use MD RELAY at 711 or e-mail cmurray@greenbeltmd.gov to reach the City Clerk.



CITY OF GREENBELT NOTICE OF A PROPOSED REAL PROPERTY TAX INCREASE

The City Council of the City of Greenbelt proposes to increase real property taxes.

1. For the tax year beginning July 1, 2016, the estimated real property assessable base will increase by 0.63%, from \$1,887,982,510 to \$1,899,932,529.
2. If the City of Greenbelt maintains the current tax rate of \$0.8125 per \$100 of assessment, real property tax revenues will increase by 0.63%, resulting in \$97,094 of new real property tax revenues.
3. In order to fully offset the effect of increasing assessments, the real property tax rate should be reduced to \$0.8074, the constant yield tax rate.
4. The City is considering not reducing its real property tax rate enough to offset increasing assessments. The City proposes to adopt a real property tax rate of \$0.8125 per \$100 of assessment. This tax rate is 0.63% higher than the constant yield tax rate and will generate \$97,094 in additional property tax revenues.

A public hearing on the proposed real property tax increase will be held at 8 p.m. on Monday, May 23, 2016, in the City Council Room, Municipal Building, 25 Crescent Road, Greenbelt, MD 20770.

The hearing is open to the public, and public testimony is encouraged.

Persons with questions regarding this hearing may call the City Clerk at 301-474-8000 for further information.

Help Us Zero Waste the Green Man Festival

Join in the fun and help us make a difference!

Zero Waste volunteers will be trained to help festival participants sort their trash correctly. Service Hours available! The dates are Saturday, May 7 and Sunday, May 8. You can choose the hours that are best for you. To sign up you can go to Sign Up Genius at <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f084eaaa72eaa1f2-zero1>

MEETINGS FOR WEEK OF MAY 9-13

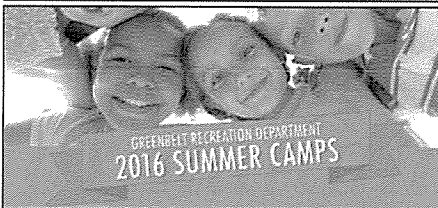
Monday, May 9 at 5:30pm, YOUTH ADVISORY COMMITTEE at Eleanor Roosevelt High School, Room 205.

Monday, May 9 at 8:00pm, REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETING at Municipal Building, 25 Crescent Road. Live on Verizon 21, Comcast 71 and at www.greenbeltmd.gov/municipal.

Wednesday, May 11 at 7:30pm, GREENBELT ADVISORY PLANNING BOARD at Community Center, 15 Crescent Road, Room 114. On the Agenda: Infill Development Presentation – Woodspring Suites @ Greenway Shopping Center, Conceptual Plan - Buddy Attkin Park Parking Lot Green Redesign, and Update on planning projects

Wednesday, May 11 at 7:30pm, BUDGET WORK SESSION with Green Ridge House, Green Ridge House, 22 Ridge Road.

The schedule is subject to change. For confirmation that a meeting is being held call 301-474-8000.



SUMMER CAMP BEGINS JUNE 20TH!

Kinder Camp: Ages 3 ½-5, Camp Pine Tree: Ages 6-11, Soccer Source 360: Ages 5-15, Creative Kids Camp: Ages 6-12, Summer Circus Camp: Ages 8-16 (waitlist only),

Youth on the Go (YOGO): Ages 12-14,

Camp Encore: Ages 13-17 (waitlist only)

Campers will have fun and learn through enriching programs that develop social skills, fitness, independence, self-worth and confidence, all while fostering lasting friendships.

Visit us online at www.greenbeltmd.gov/recreation Before and After Care is available. Sign up soon! Spots are limited! *Financial Assistance is available (subject to approval) for Greenbelt residents only. INFO: 301-397-2200

Summer Help - Public Works

Salary \$10.00/hr. Performs a variety of tasks requiring manual labor. May perform basic landscaping tasks such as mowing lawns, raking leaves, planting shrubbery, leveling playing fields, cutting and pruning trees, maintaining playgrounds and clearing dead wood. May perform traffic safety tasks such as the maintenance of traffic signs, street painting, and patching streets by pouring and shoveling asphalt and concrete. A High School diploma or equivalent is required. Must possess a Maryland State Driver's License in good standing.

To apply, visit www.greenbeltmd.gov/jobs



Greenbelt Animal Control
KITTEN SHOWER
Sunday, May 15, 12-4pm
Greenbelt American Legion 6900
Greenbelt Rd.

Tickets are \$5 each and can be purchased at the Greenbelt Animal Shelter at 550-A Crescent Road or at the door.

Info: 301-474-6124

Come visit some of our many available kittens!

We need: Cat Beds, Fleece Blankets, Towels, Kitten Food (both dry and wet), Kitten Replacement Milk, Kitten Bottles, Toys, Heating Pad, Kitten/Cat Collars, Pine Fresh Litter, Litter Pans (smaller the better), Cat Carriers, Cat Trees, Dish Detergent (Lemon Joy is best), Canned Pumpkin, Mineral Oil, Feliway, Cat Nail Clippers and Monetary Donations.



Contra Dance

Saturday, May 7, 2016

7:00-9:45pm

Lesson: 6:30pm

Greenbelt Community Center, 15 Crescent Road

SUSAN TAYLOR Calling to the music of
TRANSATLANTIC CROSSING

\$10 (cash at door) General Admission (Ages 18 and under \$5.00; 6 and under (Free).

Call: (301) 397-2208 for more information

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VACANCIES ON BOARDS & COMMITTEES

Volunteer to serve on City Council Advisory Groups.

There are currently vacancies on: Arts Advisory Board, Board of Elections, Community Relations Advisory Board, Forest Preserve Advisory Board, Greenbelt Advisory Committee on Environmental Sustainability, Park and Recreation Advisory Board, Youth Advisory Committee – Adult Member

For information call
301-474-8000.

**Bike to Work Day -
Greenbelt Pit Stop
Friday, May 20, 2016
from 6:30am-8:30am
Greenbelt Aquatic &
Fitness Center Park-
ing Lot**



Join over 17,000 area commuters for a celebration of bicycling as a clean, fun and healthy way to get to work.

Refreshments, swag bags and raffles will be given away for those **registered** at www.biketoworkmetrodc.org and arriving by bicycle. The first 15,000 registrants are eligible for a free t-shirt at their selected pit stop.

WELCOME PACKETS

The City of Greenbelt is now collecting materials for the next round of Welcome Packets! All businesses, organizations, etc are invited to participate. We will need 300 flyers, coupons, brochures or anything else that you would like to have included by Friday, May 13th at 5pm. Please deliver your materials to Beverly Palau at the Municipal Building, 25 Crescent Road. Info: 240-542-2026.

PACKET STUFFING PARTY

Thursday, May 19 from
6-8pm at
Municipal Building, 25
Crescent Road

Come out and help stuff 300 new Welcome Packets for new residents. Light Refreshments will be served!

Free Friday Fun!

Roller-skate!
Springhill Lake
Recreation Center
6101 Cherrywood Lane
May 13, 2016 from
5-7pm
Ages: 6-12 years
Roller-skates provided
free of charge or bring
your own.



Info: 301-397-2212